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Applicant(s): Brown et al. Attorney Docket No. MICR0201
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Filed: February 6, 2001 Examiner: Hossain, Tanim M.
Title: DISTRIBUTED LOAD BALANCING FOR SINGLE ENTRY-POINT
SYSTEMS

RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Bellevue, Washington 98004

December 6, 2005

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is a response in the above-identified patent application. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-1940. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

<u>Computation of Fee For Claims as Amended</u>					
	<u>Claims Remaining after Amendment</u>	<u>Highest Number Previously Paid For</u>	<u>Present Extra</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Additional Fee</u>
Total Claims	36	36	-0-	x \$50	\$ -0-
Independent Claims	4	4	-0-	x \$200	-0-
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					<u>\$ -0-</u>

Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE:

In response to the Office Action dated September 08, 2005, applicants request that the Examiner reconsider the application in view of the Remarks that follow.